

MEDIA ADVISORY

January 12, 2006

Contact: Claudia Nakano 801.538.8805

Communication Director

Department of Community and Culture

Martin Luther King, Jr. Commission 2006 Drum Major Awards Luncheon

Who: The commission takes this opportunity to recognize those individuals in our community who demonstrate a commitment to Dr. King's ideology.

Speakers include:

The Honorable Governor Jon M. Huntsman, Jr., guest speaker

Yvette D. Diaz, executive director, Department of Community and Culture

Thurl Bailey, Keynote Speaker

When: Friday, January 13, 2006
11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Where: Utah Cultural Celebration Center
1355 West 3100 South, West Valley City

Note: Honorees include:

· Adopt-A-School of the Year, North Star Elementary

· Community Based Organization of the Year,
Utah Issues Center for Poverty and Research

· Volunteer of the Year, Pamela Atkinson and Pastor France Davis

· Teacher of the Year, Dovie Goodwin

· Special Recognition for Outstanding Service Award,
Representative Duane Bourdeaux

· Adopt-A-School Sponsor, State Farm Insurance

· Corporate Sponsor, American Express

###